

**Hamilton Pedestrian Safety Committee**  
**Tuesday, April 20, 2010**  
**4:15 p.m.**  
**Madison Lane Community Meeting Room**

**APPROVED MINUTES**

**Present:** Acting Chairman Ferdinand vonMuench; Trustee Suzanne Collins; Members: Susan Marafino, Perma Marriott

**Call to Order:** Acting Chairman vonMuench called the meeting to order at 4:15pm.

**Approval of Agenda:** Agenda was approved as written.

**Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting of March 23, 2010:** A motion was made by Trustee Collins to approve the **March 23, 2010**, minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Member Marafino and carried.

**Old Business**

**Safe Route's to School Update-** Trustee Collins reported the Lebanon Street Project was cut from this year's budget. Director Graham informed Trustee Collins that there are still 3 years left to use the money. Acting Chairman vonMuench suggested lobbying again next year. Member Marafino would like Chairman Brice to brief the Committee on the Grant.

**Update on Sidewalk Initiative-** Trustee Collins reported the sidewalk budget amount has stayed the same as previous years. Ten letters will be sent out to homeowners.

A **motion** was made by Trustee Collins to enter into executive session at 4:38pm. The **motion** was seconded by Member Marafino and carried.

Trustee Collins made a **motion** to end executive session at 5:07pm. The **motion** was seconded by Member Marafino and carried.

**5-Way Intersection Task Force-** Member Marafino updated the Committee on the latest meeting of the Task Force. There will be one more public meeting. Date to be announced. The Pedestrian Crossing Phase was eliminated. It was recommended that the median in front of the Colgate Inn be taken out and realign the street with Lebanon Street. Member Marafino reviewed the three options with the Committee. Restructuring of the municipal parking lot was discussed. Formalizing the Post Office crosswalk is in the plan. Although the Task Force is against a 4-way stop at Maple Ave/Lebanon Street intersection, the Committee is still in favor of it and would like clarification from the Task Force why they are so opposed to it. The DOT has money for repairs locally.

**Publicity: Mid-York Weekly and Maroon News-** Acting Chairman vonMuench reported the press release appeared in last weeks Mid-York Weekly. Member Marafino stated the copy had

been changed. Member Marafino recommends paying to runads in the future, if there is a budget for this. Trustee Collins suggested maybe another article in the Fall.

**Hamilton Central School** -Acting Chairman vonMuench emailed Dr. Diana Bowers. He has not received a response.

**New Business**

Next meeting will be May 18, 2010 at 4:15pm at the Madison Lane Community Meeting Room.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business to come before the Committee, Trustee Collins made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Member Marafino and carried. The meeting was adjourned at 5:40pm.

Submitted by,

Kim Taranto